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## Dear parent and carer,

I just wanted to write to you so to say thank you for your support during the past half term.

I know it has been a difficult one for some of you with Covid, but your children have been wonderful.

We welcomed Ofsted and I am awaiting the final report, which I will share with you as soon as I can.

I am always very proud of our students, but even more so during our inspection.

I didn't run a traditional Open Evening this year due to Covid. Instead we opened our school to visitors who booked onto tours. These tours were taken by our students who, once again, were very impressive. Our students are very articulate, which was commented on by many visitors on our tours. Listening to them speaking about their experience of school and how proud they are to be at St Hilda's brought a tear to our eye.

I will send you our latest edition of Cornerstone where we celebrate what happens outside of lessons. It has been a joy to see so many students taking part in trips to the Tate, Liverpool Cathedral, Geography field trips, well-being walks, sporting fixtures, to name but a few. Although Covid numbers are still high, we are seeing some 'normality' in how the school operates.

I have sent you a letter from Matt Ashton from Public Health England. Please read this. Nothing changes for us as we introduced face coverings a few weeks back and we will keep them in communal areas. We would appreciate you encouraging your child to do regular tests and please make sure they do a test before they return to school on Monday 1st November. We are running the second date of Covid vaccinations for 12-15 year olds in half term. I know some of you were disappointed by the fact the vaccinations team couldn't accommodate all those who have signed up. We are only the venue for the vaccinations though.

Please look after yourselves and thank you for your support. We do appreciate it.

Kind regards,

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